



# Dora

Department of Regulatory Agencies

## THE COLORADO BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

OPEN SESSION --- MINUTES January 26, 2012

One Civic Center Plaza  
1560 Broadway, Conference Room 1250C  
Denver, CO 80202

[www.dora.state.co.us/chiropractic](http://www.dora.state.co.us/chiropractic)

This meeting was noticed to the public in accordance with §24-6-402(2)(c), C.R.S.

The agenda is subject to change.

If changes occur prior to the meeting, a revised agenda will be available at the meeting.

Pursuant to statute, a portion of this meeting will be closed to the public.

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### CONVENE

The Open Session for the Colorado Board of Chiropractic Examiners convened at 9:08 A.M.

### ATTENDANCE

#### Board Members:

Chad Abercrombie, D.C. – President, Professional Member  
John Hanks, D.C. – Professional Member  
Richelle Knowles, D.C. – Professional Member  
Julie Scott, D.C. – Secretary, Professional Member  
Marshall Snider – Vice-President, Public Member

#### Division Staff:

Deann Conroy – Program Director  
Melissa Garner – Expedited Settlement  
Lisa Hill – Program Manager  
Tanya Light – Assistant Attorney General  
Nancy Werner – Program Specialist

Robert Finke – Assistant Attorney General  
Kevin Huff – Office of Investigations  
Linda Leslie – Office of Investigations  
Martha Mesch – Office of Investigations  
Cindy Reinhardt – Office of Investigations  
Les Roberts – Office of Investigations

#### Public Attendees:

Vineta Campau, Acting Executive Director, CCA – Colorado Chiropractic Association  
Dr. Rhonda Jackson, D.C., CCA – Colorado Chiropractic Association CCA  
Deb Waugh, AMI – Affiliated Monitors, Inc.  
Vincent DiCianni, President, AMI – Affiliated Monitors, Inc.  
Mark E. Merrill, RN, ND, CNS, PAS – Peer Assistance Services  
Dr. Emily J. Rucker, D.C.  
Dr. Kenneth Patrick Ray, D.C., CCA – Colorado Chiropractic Association  
Dr. Aaron Koepp, D.C., CCA – Colorado Chiropractic Association

## **FORUM**

- Peer Assistance Services, Director Mark Merrill spoke on the voluntary care agreement with an anonymous chiropractor. Board agreed to keep the confidentiality of the D.C. and requested updated quarterly reports.
- Dr. Aaron Koepp, D.C. and Dr. Kenneth Patrick Ray, D.C. of the Colorado Chiropractic Association (CCA) spoke on Rule 22 Record Keeping.
- Vincent DiCianni of Affiliated Monitors presented their overall program that includes practice monitoring.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Upon motion duly seconded, the minutes from the September 29, 2011, Open Session Board Meeting were approved as amended.

Upon motion duly seconded, the minutes from the November 10, 2011, Open Session Board Meeting were approved without amendment.

## **PROGRAM DIRECTOR UPDATE**

Program Director Deann Conroy welcomed Nancy Werner as the newest staff member working directly with the Board. She reported that six chiropractic cases were settled either through the AG or ESP office since the November meeting. She reminded the Board that the March meeting is the scheduled annual retreat. Division of Registrations Director, Rosemary McCool retired on December 31, 2011, and Gregory Ferland is taking her place during the interim while the position is being posted and filled.

## **NEW LICENSING MATTERS**

1. The Newly Licensed By Method Report was acknowledged.
2. Paul Guadagno  
Upon motion duly seconded, the board voted to refer the application of Paul Guadagno to the Office of Expedited Settlement
3. Heather Gene Thomas  
Upon motion duly seconded, a license was granted to Heather Gene Thomas.
4. Scott Wallace  
Upon motion duly seconded, Scott Wallace's application was moved to closed session.

## **COMPLIANCE MONITORING**

The Compliance Monitoring Report was acknowledged.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

The Board appointed Board member Dr. John Hanks, D.C., as the voting delegate to the NBCE Annual Business meeting and for the FCLB Annual Congress. Dr. Richelle Knowles, D.C., was appointed as the alternate voting delegate.

The proposed changes to Rule 8, Continuing Education were presented and several suggestions made. The Board will review this Rule at the March 2012, meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Board President Abercrombie proposed a draft to amend Rule 7C. The proposal will be presented for consideration at the March 2012, meeting.

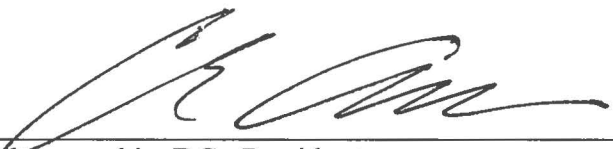
**THE OPEN SESSION ADJOURNED AT 11:17 A.M.**

*The next Colorado Board of Chiropractic Examiners meeting*

*is scheduled to take place on:*

**Thursday, March 22, 2012 at 9:00 a.m.**

**Conference Room 1250B  
1560 Broadway, Denver, CO**

  
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Chad Abercrombie, DC –President

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Date